



**Thinking The Right Way**  
*It's All In Your Head – Part 4*  
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*Be careful how you think; your life is shaped by your thoughts.*  
**Proverbs 4:23 (GNT)**

*Think about the things that are true and honorable and right...*  
**Philippians 4:8b (NCV)**

*The wicked bluff their way through, but the virtuous think before they act.*  
**Proverbs 21:29 (NLT)**

**Four power thoughts that will help me determine what is right.**

**1. I think about what God wants.**

*I spend time thinking about your rules. I consider how you want me to live.*  
**Psalm 119:15 (NIRV)**

*Think through what's going to be pleasing to the Lord.*  
**Ephesians 5:10a (NTE)**

*Our only goal is to always please the Lord, whether we are living here in this body or there with him.*  
**2 Corinthians 5:9 (ERV)**

**2. I think about Jesus.**

*So all of you holy brothers and sisters, who were called by God, think about Jesus, who was sent to us and is the high priest of our faith.*  
**Hebrews 3:1 (NCV)**

*Think about Jesus. He patiently endured the angry insults that sinful people were shouting at him. Think about him so that you won't get discouraged and stop trying.*  
**Hebrews 12:3 (ERV)**

*...Think the same way that Christ Jesus thought.*  
**Philippians 2:5 (CEV)**

*This is what you were called to do, because Christ suffered for you and gave you an example to follow. So you should do as he did.*  
**1 Peter 2:21 (NCV)**

**3. I think about people.**

*Each one of you should not think only about himself, but about other people also.*  
**Philippians 2:4 (WE)**

*...Focus your thoughts on what is right in the sight of all people.*  
**Romans 12:17 (ISV)**

- Think of believers...

*Let us think of ways to motivate one another to acts of love and good works.*  
**Hebrews 10:24 (NLT)**

- Think of unbelievers...

*People who don't believe are living all around you. They may say that you are doing wrong. So live such good lives that they will see the good you do, and they will give glory to God on the day he comes.*  
**1 Peter 2:12 (ERV)**

**4. I think about eternity.**

*I am here on earth for just a little while...*  
**Psalm 119:19a (GNT)**

*Friends, this world is not your home, so don't make yourselves cozy in it. Don't indulge your ego at the expense of your soul.*  
**1 Peter 2:11 (MSG)**

*So if you call God your Father, live your time as temporary residents on earth...*  
**1 Peter 1:17a (GWT)**

*Don't store up treasures here on earth, where they can be eaten by moths and get rusty, and where thieves break in and steal. <sup>20</sup> Store your treasures in heaven, where they will never become moth-eaten or rusty and where they will be safe from thieves. <sup>21</sup> Wherever your treasure is, there your heart and thoughts will also be.*  
**Matthew 6:19-21 (NLT)**

*"No eye has seen, no ear has heard, and no mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love him."*  
**1 Corinthians 2:9b (NLT)**